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Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Notice of Allowance dated October 3, 2007. Applicants have amended claims 21-23 and 25-27 to correct for typographical errors. No new subject matter has been added. Applicants believe that no fees are due with this amendment. The Commissioner is however authorized to charge any deficiencies in the required fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 141449 under number 104978-239.

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